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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Weinhold et al.

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Group Art Unit: 1714

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For: POLYESTER COMPOSITIONS FOR HOT-FILL CONTAINERS

Commissioner for Patents
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EXTENSION OF TIME REQUEST PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136 (a) (3)

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply, which requires a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. A continuation in part application has been sent on June 4, 2004 in lieu of an appeal brief to the final rejection dated January 15, 2004. The appropriate extension is the time required to maintain copendency which would be a 2 month extension.

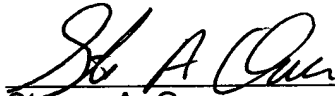
The Commissioner also is authorized to charge the fee required for such an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 05-0221.

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